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# **Editor's Note**

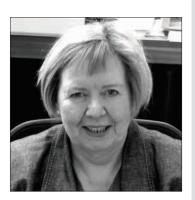
Although this issue is going to press in November, I have already said my goodbyes and farewells. I recently started a new adventure and chapter in my life - retirement! I wasn't quite sure what it would look like but everyone assured me it will be wonderful!

Over the past three years at BCS, I have enjoyed getting know the BCS community and have enjoyed the support and friendship of many alumni, faculty and staff.

I wish my successor, Greg Stevenson '87, best of luck in his new role as Director of Advancement and editor of the BCS Bulletin.

Regards,

Judy A. Hopps **Executive Director** of Advancement



To meet the incoming Director of Advancement and other new faces, please see p. 7.

# Head's Message

At BCS, I find myself surrounded by admirable young leaders, eager to make a mark on the world. Leadership is a key focus at the school - we aim to integrate skills development and teamwork into all aspects of academic. residential, and extracurricular life.

As we begin the school year, I want to take a moment to highlight the remarkable contributions and leadership of Kurt Johnson, who has been Chair of the BCS Association Board of Directors since 2008 and who has recently stepped down.

I could not have asked for a more thoughtful and consistent Chair to consult and work with than Kurt.

As my role evolved over the first few months of my engagement, it was very important that the vital relationship between the Chair and Head remain open and focused on the needs of the school.

Despite his own professional obligations, Kurt was always available for consultation and direction.

The school has benefitted greatly from his dedication and hard work. Both professionally and personally, I have enjoyed and appreciated the experience of working with him.

Will Mitchell, '63 Head of School



More news concerning the BCS Association Board of Directors can be found on p. 14-15.



### ON THE COVER

At the end of the Academic Awards Ceremony on June 14, the Prefects of 2012-13 passed the torch to the incoming Prefects. Both groups gathered outside to celebrate the end of a great year.

2012-13 Prefects: Chad Bean, Jodi Chan, Joey Chan, Benjamin Chang, Sarah Cooper, Cindy Lee (Head Prefect), Luke Park, Michael Patenaude, Emily Wayne.

2013-14 Prefects: Stephane Anglade, Gabriel Aucoin, Aude Babakissa, Jonathan Crowther (Head Prefect), Mathieu Dubois, Vianney Gomezgil Yaspik, Sarah Hopkins, Bonnie Kerkhoff, Victoria Leblond, Kevin Wu.

# **SCHOOL NEWS**

### Fall 2013

This year, we welcomed students from 24 countries to BCS. On Sept. 3, new boarders arrived to settle in and participate in orientation activities. The next day, all the others arrived. The first week was busy as students got to know each other and the campus. More fall activities will be highlighted in the January issue of the Bulletin.



Mountain Day! The school year started off with the annual climb up Mont Orford for students, teachers, Houseparents, staff, and parents. This year there was an additional challenge: the first two clans with 20 members at the summit were rewarded with a pizza party (at a later date) from the Advancement Department. Congratulations to Alps and Andes clans!

Justine Valois gets strapped into a glider at Cadet Camp on Sept. 6. Throughout the weekend in Valcartier, QC, students learned about the Cadet program, learned to work as a team, and tested themselves physically with obstacle courses and zip-lining.



Former Heads Nancy Layton and Lewis Evans met up with current Head Will Mitchell at the 22nd Annual Alumni and Friends Golf Tournament at the Royal Bromont Golf Course. The event, which took place on Sept. 22, raised over \$10,000 for BCS Athletics. More photos on p. 24.



Alumnus Johnny Wardman '03 returned to BCS to share his experiences in Chapel on Oct. 4. He recently completed his PhD in volcanology at the University of Canterbury in New Zealand. Johnny talked about the struggles he faced while he was a student and how he channeled his energy into science when he got older. His doctoral research into volcanic ash and electric power systems was recently featured on the Discovery Channel Canada's Daily Planet. View the segment online: http://bit.ly/BCSWardman

# **SCHOOL NEWS**

### **Summer 2013**

As a Silver Friend of the Canada Summer Games, BCS was at the heart of the action when 4,200 athletes arrived in Sherbrooke for 16 days of competition from Aug. 2 to 17. With delegates and officials staying on campus, pep rallies in the student centre, and breakfasts and dinners in the dining hall, the school was busy throughout the month.



Samuel Wang, BCS'13, proved his mettle in the pool, winning four bronzes in four days for Quebec in swimming. He has his sights set on qualifying for the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio and is currently studying at the Cégep de Sherbrooke. Congratulations Sam, we are so proud of your success!



Cheering on Samuel Wang at the Games. Clockwise from top left: English teacher Janice Carey, Head of School Will Mitchell, Director of Residential Life and Student Support Campbell Hall, Maya Faucher and her mom Monica Schafer, the new Assistant to the Director of Athletics.



Roald Smeets, BCS'87 (second from right), returned to campus at the end of the school year for the first time in over 25 years. He met BCS Old Boys (from left) Chris Durrant, Teal Kreuger and Ryan Comeau, current recipients of the Guiomar Smeets Foundation's university scholarships. Roald and David Lovato of the foundation were greeted by Will Mitchell and Peter Smith, Director with the BCS Association Board. Chris, Teal, and Ryan spent the day reminiscing and sharing stories about their experiences at BCS and at university with Roald and David. Chris is studying law at McGill University, Teal is studying fine arts at the University of Saskatchewan, and Ryan is studying management at Dalhousie University.

In consultation with architects, the school has conducted a complete study of all residences and has devised a 15-year plan to modernize and maintain the buildings with energy efficiency in mind. McNaughton House is closed to students this year as floor-to-ceiling renovations begin: new windows, floors, bathrooms, and furnishings, plus a new roof. With modern fittings and a new look, McNaughton will be highly sought after when it reopens next fall. Stay tuned to find out which residence will be next.

# **SCHOOL NEWS**

# **Spring 2013**



Students won accolades throughout the spring term for academic achievement. Eleven students (pictured above) scored in the top 25% in the Waterloo Math Competition. In addition, more than half of our students were named to the Head of School's List for having an average above 80%. Great work! Let's keep up the momentum for this school year.



Our Senior Girls' Rugby team made waves when they beat the top teams in the country on their own turf at the 2013 CAIS Invitational Tournament in Shawnigan Lake, BC. Winning 12-10 in the finals over Shawnigan Lake School, we took home the championship banner. Go Bears!



and nibbles. Special thanks to art teacher Christopher Brandon for putting it all together.

The BCS Players' Club put on a successful run of Early One Evening At the Rainbow Bar & Grille, a dark comedy by Bruce Graham about the end of the world. The play featured excellent performances by (from left) Christopher Rae, Paul Cassar and Kevin Wu, as well as Sarah Cooper, Bonnie Kerkhoff, Aude Babakissa, and Gabriel Aucoin.

# Warm welcomes and fond farewells

We say goodbye to long-serving members of the BCS community and warmly welcome some new faces

35 years of service

### Geraldine McGurk

When Geraldine McGurk was looking for a nursing position in 1978, she applied to BCS without knowing anything about the school.

"Their ad said, 'Maid service available,' so I thought, how could you lose?" Geraldine explains. "They ended up taking away the maid service after a while. I stayed."

After a year or two, she fell in love with the students and the school. Geraldine retired earlier this summer after 35 years of service, including nine years as a Houseparent.

There was always something new and different going on to keep things busy, she says – new challenges, new students, new issues. Over the years she has had to deal with flu epidemics, the meningitis crisis, SARS, and H1N1 threats.

"When you get that hug at the end of the day, it means a lot. There are students that you remember, that have a special effect on your life. The challenges are fun, that's what keeps you going," she says.

Geraldine plans to unwind by traveling for the next little while to Newfoundland, Ontario, Spain, Mexico and Central America, and is signed up for a month of Spanish classes. She will be back in the Lennoxville area in a year's time and plans to get involved in the local community and attend the odd BCS basketball game.

"There is so much going on at BCS that it's hard to find



Geraldine stands in front of the rose bushes she planted outside Gillard House when she was a Houseparent.

a life outside it. I've really enjoyed my time here but there are so many things I want to do now," she says, adding that she will greatly miss the friendships and camaraderie. "I plan to read a lot. I plan to sleep through the night. There's a wonderful life ahead."

# 31 years of service

# **Judy Gillam**

While she tends to avoid the spotlight whenever possible, Judy Gillam has been quietly managing a staff of 21 in the kitchen, preparing delicious and nutritious meals three times a day, seven days a week.

She has worked behind the scenes at BCS for 31 years, and was Food Services Manager for the last eight, serving the BCS community, hosting special functions, and catering to special needs and diets.

With five children of her own, she understands kids' likes and dislikes. She always followed the Canada Food Guide and Ministry of Quebec guidelines, occasionally adding French fries or chicken burgers for a treat.

"My goal has always been to make the kids happy with food. We're here for them after all," she says. Judy admits that she has had a great team to work with and has no qualms about leaving the kitchen in their capable hands.

"They can easily function without me. I'm just the guide," she says, adding that she would like to thank BCS for giving her so many opportunities: "It's been so good for me."



Judy plans to do work on her house, take French classes, and spend time with her grandchildren. "I keep telling people, I'm only a phone call away!"

# **FACULTY & STAFF**



From left, Director of Athletics Jeff Bray and Head of School Will Mitchell celebrate Denise's retirement at the staff barbecue in June.

### 24 years of service

### **Denise Addona**

Denise Addona has always been surrounded by athletes. For 24 years, she worked in the BCS Athletics Department as Administrative Assistant. Her husband was Director of Athletics at Bishop's University. Her son played football at university is now a physical education teacher.

"I'm not an athlete at all, in any sense of the word," she says, laughing. "It's pretty funny actually." Still, she always loved her job and developed a true appreciation for sports. She believes being active is very important as it teaches student athletes to manage their time well and juggle responsibilities.

In addition to her work in Athletics,

Denise also coordinated logistics for the BCS Summer Language Camp and was administrator of the Cadet program.

She moved to Montreal over the summer and welcomed a grand-daughter, Chloe Ana, in October. She plans to spend her retirement catching up on all the things she wanted to do but her schedule wouldn't allow: volunteering, taking courses, and joining the gym.

"I'm going to miss the people, of course, but also the beauty of the campus," she says. "For all the years I worked here, every time I walked through campus, I remarked on how beautiful it is. That never got old."



## 5 years of service **Stephan Lebeau**

After five years at BCS, Hockey Program Coordinator and Stanley Cup winner Stephan Lebeau rejoined the Montreal Canadiens family this summer, accepting a coaching position with the Hamilton Bulldogs, the Habs' farm team. He left BCS with a heavy heart, saying he wishes he could stay longer.

"I will always remember my first practice here. We had six local players, along with kids who were on the ice for the first time, wearing their number-one uniforms, hanging onto the boards for support. I thought, 'what have I done?" In the first two years, there were games when the team didn't touch the puck. No

one wanted to play against them. Stephan recruited players, built up the program, and they started winning. At this point, the program has an excellent reputation.

Adam Spirk has taken over as Coordinator. Two experienced coaches have also been hired: Christian Bouliane and Patrick Lebeau, Stephan's brother.



# 3 years of service Ashli MacInnis

Ashli MacInnis, a dedicated member of our management team, moved to Toronto over the summer to join her husband.

Ashli started as Admissions Officer and took over as Director of Recruitment and Admissions in 2011. Over the next two years, she oversaw the re-design of the website, produced allnew brochures and materials,

and explored new markets for recruitment.

Keeping the office moving forward while traveling abroad was challenging. She remembers being up all hours of the night in Saudi Arabia, editing text for the new website.

"I'm proud of the way our team worked, with each other and with the whole school," she says. "We had a great working relationship. It made coming to work a lot of fun."

At the Graduation Ceremony, Will Mitchell thanked Ashli for her exemplary work professionalizing and modernizing our efforts in the recruitment and retention of qualified students.

She is now Associate Director of Admissions at Branksome Hall.

## **Faculty Members**

Danny Hickie, BCS'05, Science teacher, stepped in to replace one of our teachers on maternity leave for the 2012-13 year. He is now teaching at Trinity College School in Port Hope, Ontario. Thank you, Mr. Hickie!

Andrew St-Amant, Social Science teacher, got a taste for the school while teaching at our 2013 Summer Language Camp. He is teaching here for the 2013-14 school year. Welcome, Mr. St-Amant!

# New members of the BCS community

### **Director of Advancement Greg Stevenson**

Raised in the Townships, Greg Stevenson, BCS'87, returned to his roots after living in British Columbia for the last 20 years. After graduating from BCS, he studied at McGill University, where he received his Bachelor of Commerce in 1991. An accomplished rower, he represented Canada at the 1992 and 1996 Olympics and won three medals at the Pan-American Games.

Greg has developed outdoor education and leadership development programs for youth. He has extensive experience running fundraising campaigns, brokering partnerships, and producing communications materials.

With his wife Corinna and son Dakota, Greg moved onto campus in early August. Dakota has enrolled in Form II.

"Having been part of BCS, we are all connected on many levels through cherished memories, shared values, and common experiences," he said. "Feeling this kind of interpersonal bond can be a profound part of our lives. I look forward to contributing my skills, energy, and professional experience to the good things that can result from a broad and vibrant BCS culture."



### **Director of Admissions**

### **Greg McConnell**

There's another new Greg in town -Greg McConnell has joined BCS as Director of Admissions.

Originally from Charlottetown, PEI, Greg studied Economics and American Government at Bowdoin College in Maine. He played professional hockey for two years and then ioined Holderness School in New Hampshire as Associate Director of Admissions. During his time there, he wore many hats in addition to his recruiting work: he was a dorm parent, student advisor, and coach for several teams.

"I'm really excited about this new opportunity," he said, adding that he wants to be involved in sports and campus life. "I want to get out there and develop some new markets for Admissions. We can build an even stronger pool of applicants to continue finding good kids from diverse backgrounds."

"I'm a small-town guy. I love being out on the road, interacting with people, and building relationships. I look forward to reaching out and connecting with as many as I can." he said.





## Alumni Services Manager Jackie Duguay

Originally from Labrador City, Labrador, Jackie Duguay moved here a year ago with her husband and two small children. She has eight years of experience in donor relations, fund development, event planning, program development, volunteer recruitement, and partnership management.



Librarian **Christine Smith** 

Connecticut native Christine Smith started working at BCS in August. She has experience with public, university, school, and special libraries and is an active member of several library associations. She has a BSc in Communications and a Master's of Library and Information Science from McGill University.



Sabrina Théberge

Sherbrooke is familiar territory for Sabrina Théberge: she completed her DEC in Health Science at Champlain College Lennoxville and a DEC in nursing at Cégep de Sherbrooke. Sabrina is currently finishing her bachelor's degree at Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières. She lives lives on campus with her dog, Jake.



**Weekend Nurse Tamsin Lawless** 

Born and raised in Blanc-Sablon, on the lower north shore of Quebec, Tamsin completed her nursing studies at Cégep de Sherbrooke in 2008. She worked at Hôtel-Dieu for just under two yeas and then worked with a private agency for three years. Tamsin has experience in many different areas of nursing.



LEADERSHIP FEATURE

# Raising leaders

We are committed to helping students become well-rounded individuals, who feel empowered to assume leadership roles. This continues to be part of daily life at BCS – through service to the community, team-building, and personal challenges.

# **Defining Leadership**

# Alumna Sarah Cooper talks about the skills she developed as Commanding Officer of the BCS No.2 Cadet Corps last year



Cadet Commanding Officer Sarah Cooper at the Cadet Inspection in May.

"Yes, we do march," says 2012-13 Cadet Commanding Officer Sarah Cooper, BCS'13, who was also a Prefect. "But marching isn't the only thing we do."

Established in 1861, the BCS corps is the oldest continually active school cadet program in Canada. The program focuses on leadership, teamwork, skills development, self-discipline, and cooperation.

This respected school tradition provides formal training in team-building as well as outdoor survival and emergency first aid. The highlight of the cadet program is the ceremonial Cadet Parade and Inspection that takes place each spring.

Here, Sarah shares some of the things she learned about leadership:

### A good leader has integrity.

You have to treat others the way you would like to be treated by a leader. You can't just be strict and mean from the start or else no one is going to listen to you.

### A good leader is adaptable.

You have to learn how to lead different types of people. We have students aged 11 to 19, both male and female, from many different cultures.

### A good leader sets the standard.

I had to lead by example, making sure that I was always on mark, with no room for mistakes, because other students would look to me.

### A good leader thinks outside the box.

You have to be creative sometimes to think of different ways to get students involved in the various activities.

### A good leader communicates.

I learned how to have a voice and speak up. Before I first became a Non-Commissioned Officer in Form V, I was very shy and timid. Then in my Form V year I decided to try being an NCO. That's when I learned how to get out of my comfort zone. There is a lot of discussion and listening to each others' ideas involved in making decisions.

### A good leader finds balance.

At BCS, you're not only a student. You're also a soccer player, a cadet, a clarinet player, and a member of dining hall committee. On any given day, you have school, crease, choir practice, and homework. You learn how to balance your life and many challenges and activities. I think this could be very useful in my chosen profession as a doctor because I will be working long hours and I will need to juggle everything.

Sarah Cooper is in her first year at McGill University, studying science. After completing her bachelor's, she hopes to attend medical school to become a doctor and fulfill her dream of being the sports surgeon for the Montreal Canadiens.

# Learning by doing in Peru

Working alongside local people and youth from around the world, David Laliberté, BCS'13, helped build a one-room kindergarten in the Andean community of Yuncachimpa, Peru, in July and August through Round Square. With no facilities nearby for children aged 4-5, kids had to walk at least 5 km to get to school.

The group visited Machu Picchu, learned to dance salsa and gained an appreciation for Peruvian culture.

For 10 days, David was in a homestay with a family of farmers who raise cows, pigs, chickens, sheep and guinea pigs.

"At first I thought I would be eager to go back to my comforts. But by the end, I really wanted to stay," he said.

The students had to take on leadership roles throughout the trip, ensuring that the project was running smoothly and motivating each other to work hard.

On Sept. 13, David addressed students in Chapel and presented a slideshow, sharing his experiences and encouraging others to participate in a service project of their own.

"I learned so much about myself during this trip," he said. In addition to helping the community, he conquered



David Laliberté (centre) spent three weeks on a Round Square service project this summer, helping to build a school with 16 other students from around the world, including India, Australia, Thailand, and Germany.

his fear of heights while climbing the Via Ferrata in the Urubamba Valley and made friends with people from many different cultures. David got to know workers from the village and learned about their way of life. Coming home, he felt he had developed a stronger sense of initiative and undertaking.

"The hardest part was saying goodbye to our families because I was attached to them," he wrote in his final report.

must get them to school on time. She also makes sure

they complete their prep, tidy their rooms, and get to

bed on time. Weekends are usually quite busy and include

it requires me to make many independent decisions regarding how it is run," Emilie wrote via email. Still, she

feels comfortable in her new role, saying, "BCS has

"Being in charge of the library is also a huge task as

a large number of activities and outings.

# GAP students lead by example during year "off"

Instead of going straight to university, Emilie Coote, BCS'13. deferred her acceptance to Bishop's University to spend a year working in the United Kingdom.

Through the Round Square GAP Program, Emilie was offered a highly-coveted position at Windermere Lake School in Cumbria. Windermere is familiar territory — she went there on exchange in Form V.

So far, she is having an amazing time. Her main responsibilities include accompanying the younger children to and from campus, updating and running the library, and being on duty in the boarding house.

Emilie is responsible for the prep school children and

prepared me for this. I don't feel any great challenges in taking on these responsibilities." Chris Rae, BCS'13, is also in the UK for a GAP year. He is working at Box Hill School in Dorking, just outside London, helping mainly in the athletics department by contacting other schools, organising games, chasing

down coaches, and putting together team sheets every

week. He also coaches soccer and basketball. Chris is the same age as many of the students he is supervising and admits that it's a little weird when they call him 'Sir.' He isn't just learning on his own anymore he's teaching skills and leading others. Instead of being proud of his personal achievements, he is proud of what

the team is able to accomplish with his help and guidance. "It's a completely different and strange feeling," he says. "But this is what happens when you're put in charge and handed over leadership of a group."

Overall, he is having an incredible experience and would highly recommend taking a GAP year to all Form VIIs.

"I'm getting to travel to new places and meet people. I will also have a great deal of work experience before university," he says.

For more information about Round Square, send an email to: roundsquare@bishopscollegeschool.com.



Emilie Coote says that when her friends started talking about university, she wondered if she was doing the right thing. Now, she's thrilled with her decision to spend a year abroad.



Rachelle Hadlock (far right) hiked through the Rockies in August after winning the Outward Bound Award, given to the Form V student who best exemplifies self-reliance, care and respect for others, service to the community, and concern for the environment, as espoused by Kurt Hahn, founder of the award.

# Testing limits through Outward Bound

After 18 days in the wilderness, Rachelle Hadlock couldn't remember how to use her cell phone.

"I didn't even want to turn it on," she wrote in her trip summary.

As the recipient of the BCS Outward Bound Award, she won a 21-day Outward Bound Canada Course. Rachelle chose a backpacking trip through thick black forests near Banff National Park with three other teens.

"It was so rewarding from beginning to end," she said of the grueling expedition.

Guides helped them initially and then backed off as the trip progressed, allowing the participants to make their own decisions and learn from their own mistakes. Rachelle and the others developed leadership by exchanging roles, from being the cook, to navigating through the land, and being the leader. The leader was responsible for getting the group up and ready to go, and also decided when to take breaks.

"The leader has to stand their ground when they call a rest or to take a sip of water," she says. "Not everyone moves as fast or efficiently as you want them to. You had to respect that person's role and let them make the decision even if you disagreed."

The group would hike for hours at a time with heavy packs, taking breaks once an hour for 10 minutes. They couldn't stop pushing until break time, since they had a tight schedule to follow.

Learning to live and travel with other people can take some adjusting, especially on an arduous trip like this one. One of the most important things Rachelle learned was to let go of tension and conflicts.

"Exploring nature is the best way to reveal what's inside, your true self," she says. "I learned to obtain my goals, one step at a time."



Cindy Lee addresses her classmates at the Graduation Ceremony in June 2013. She is currently studying at McGill University.

# "Now, let's do it!"

# An excerpt from Head Prefect Cindy (Ye-Eun) Lee's graduation address

"For those who will be returning to BCS next year, carpe diem. Seize the day. Take advantage of every single opportunity and cherish your friends because this will not last. Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to protect the school and its honour. Keep in mind that this is where many of us grew up and realized our dreams. For years, this has been our home. Now, it's yours.

For the graduates who will not be coming back or who are leaving this place, I have one thing that I would like you to take away with you. The average life expectancy of a human is 80 years. I remember reading that if you were to turn our lifetime into a 24-hour clock, one year would be equal to 18 minutes. Therefore, since most of our graduates are 18, if we do the calculations, this would only be 5:24 in the morning. Most people are still dreaming, not even awake yet preparing for the day. They have no idea what to expect, but they are slowly becoming conscious. No one starts their day by deciding that they have already failed. So why start our lives the same way?

That's why I stand before you and say; Good morning. We've done it! We've already completed the first chapter. We are rising from our slumber and taking the world by storm. Well done, class of 2013! Now, let's do it!"

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# Thank you for your generosity

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# Leading with dedication, strength, and perseverance

Celebrating the work of Kurt Johnson BCS'84, Chair of the Association Board 2008-13



Kurt Johnson (far right) at his final meeting as Chair of the BCS Association Board of Directors in the Peter G. Holt Memorial Library on Oct. 26. He says the key to his success was being surrounded by people with "limitless intelligence."

When asked to describe Kurt Johnson, Chair of the BCS Association Board from 2008 to 2013, fellow Director Pete Smith says simply, "he's really something else."

In addition to being a partner in a law firm and a father of five young children, he dedicated the last five years of his life to helping the school navigate through difficult times: a class-action lawsuit and subsequent truth and reconciliation process, the financial crisis of 2008, and multiple leadership transitions.

"He did all the right things in the face of these challenges," Smith continues. "He helped bring closure to a series of events that took place before he was even born. He didn't throw his hands up and give up. He worked through it, leaving the school in excellent shape."

His peers refer to him as intellectual, devoted, sensitive, well spoken, enthusiastic, and experienced. Johnson, however, would be the first to deflect praise and to highlight the

support he has received from his wife and family, his colleagues and fellow Directors, and from the school itself.

"You don't do it alone," he says. "I was working with an extremely talented group of people."

He adds that he, and the school, could not have been more fortunate to have Will Mitchell take on the role of Head of School in 2012. In addition, he contends that his predecessor on the Board, David Stenason, could have written the handbook on "being the best Chair in the world." Calling him a great mentor, supporter, and friend, Johnson says that Stenason set the standard for him. In fact, it was Stenason who asked him to join the Board in the first place – an offer he felt he could not refuse.

"When he called, I thought, 'I have no choice.' When he asked me to be Vice-Chair, I was stunned. He showed confidence in me. I felt it was a great opportunity and a great time to get involved," Johnson recalls.

Prior to joining the Association

Board, Johnson was President of the Alumni Association. He and his two brothers attended BCS and their father, Andrew Johnson, BCS'51, was the school's Director of Operations. He studied law at McGill University and has been a partner of Irving Mitchell Kalichman, LLP (IMK) since 1998, as a civil and commercial litigation lawyer.

Many will remember Johnson for his passion for hockey. He helped recruit former NHL player and '93 Stanley Cup winner Stephan Lebeau to run the BCS Hockey Program in 2008 and famously jumped up during a board meeting to go watch the First Team play. For now, he's spending time with his family and building his backyard hockey rink for the season. "Hockey is the love of my life," he jokes.

"I don't think he has had a spare minute in the last five years," Stenason says over the phone. "The school was very lucky to have Kurt in that role. He carried the torch and has now passed it on to another strong leader."

# New leadership for the Board

### Tim Price BCS'75 brings his experience to the role of Chair

Timothy E. Price, BCS'75, Chairman of the Montreal-based firm MacDougall, MacDougall & MacTier, was elected Chair of the BCS Association Board of Directors on Oct. 26.

"Tim has been a committed and engaged alumnus and Director of the school," says Will Mitchell, Head of School. "He brings valuable institutional memory and broad business experience to the vital role of Chair."

Price has been involved with BCS through the Alumni Association, Foundation Board, and Association Board, for almost 30 years.

"I am excited and enthused about the opportunities for BCS in the years ahead," he says.

In 1984, Price began working at MacDougall, MacDougall & MacTier, also known as 3Macs, and now leads The Price Group, a portfolio management team. In 1979, he graduated from Queen's University with an Honours Bachelor of Commerce degree before moving to London, England, to gain professional experience with the investment firm Rowe & Pitman. He then worked for the public accounting firm Coopers & Lybrand in both Toronto and Bermuda.

Price joined 3Macs with a management position in finance and administration, and he attained the Chartered Financial Analyst designation in 1992, the same year he was elected a Director of the firm. He has served on the Executive Committee since 1993, and between 2002 and 2009 he held the position of President and Chief Executive Officer. He was elected Chairman of the Board in February 2009.

Price is a member of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, a former Chair of the Investment Industry Association of Canada and is active in multiple industry, educational, health and charitable organizations.

After serving on the BCS Foundation board for 20 years, he joined the Association Board in 2010 and assumed the role of



Tim Price '75 (left) is succeeding Kurt Johnson '84 (right) as Chair of the BCS Association Board. Price has been involved in the governance of BCS for almost 30 years. Johnson affirms that the Board is in very good hands.

Vice-Chair in 2012.

At the Oct. 26 meeting, Guthrie Stewart, BCS'73, was named Vice-Chair. Charles Marleau, BCS'94, will remain in the role of Treasurer. Michel Bull, BCS'72, and CFO of Global Excel Management, joined the Board.

Outgoing Chair Kurt Johnson says the Board is in capable hands: "This is an extremely competent group of leaders. I am particularly grateful that Tim stepped up and agreed to take over as Chair."

### David Brodeur steps down as Honourary Treasurer

David Brodeur, BCS'86, has retired from the Board after six years of service, including five as Honourary Treasurer.

He is an Investment Advisor with CIBC Wood Gundy in Montreal.

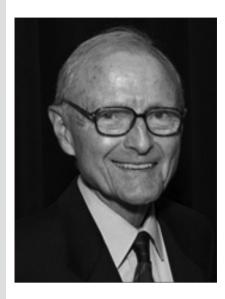
"We were being tossed curveball after curveball," Kurt Johnson recounts. "With Dave's leadership and very steady, calm oversight, he was able to make sure we got through difficult periods like the 2008 financial crisis and maintain our viability."

Brodeur had the challenging



job of being the "no" man, who had to keep the ship sailing and reduce unneccessary spending. He did so with consistency, directness, competence, and a touch of humour.

### Remembering the lives and legacies of those we've lost in the last few years



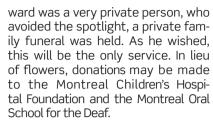
Hugh Graham Hallward, BCS'44, passed away on Aug. 26, 2013, at the Montreal General Hospital. He is survived by his wife Martha, his sons Graham and John, his daughters Peggy, Faith and Annabel, and his seven grandchildren. He was predeceased by his brother John.

Mr. Hallward graduated from BCS in 1944 and served as the BCS Association Board Chair from 1969-1984.

Many would say that Mr. Hall-ward built the school we have today. Former Headmaster John Cowans, BCS '54, shared these words about his former colleague: "I have always

said that I learned to be a good Schoolmaster from Graham Patriquin, and a good Headmaster from Hugh Hallward. Like any good teacher, Hugh taught by example: hard working, intensely loyal, decisive, fair, direct, always aim high, and never accept second-best. As a result, Hugh chaired what was widely accepted as the toughest private school board of directors in Canada. and because of him BCS became, during his tenure, the number one co-educational private

school in the nation." Because Mr. Hall-



We will celebrate Mr. Hallward's legacy in the next issue of the Bulletin.

Mary Rosamond Hugessen (née Stavert), 80, died suddenly Sept. 15, 2013 in Almonte, Ont. Mrs. Hugessen was closely connected to our community: she was married to The Hon. Mr. Justice James Hugessen, BCS '51; her daughter Jill Hugessen Brillon, BCS '78, is a member of our Foundation Board of Directors, and her son Alex Hugessen graduated from the School in 1983. We would like to send our deepest condolences to the Hugessen and Stavert families.

An obituary was published in the Montreal Gazette: "Mary is survived by her loving husband of 55 years, Jim Hugessen, and her children Jaime (Elizabeth Lawson), Jill (Marc Brillon), Lys (Dajan O'Donnell), Alex (Samantha Buckley) and Ross (Kathryn Hubble). She will also be greatly missed by her brothers William Stavert (Marg Legge) and The Most Reverend Bruce Stavert (Diana Greig) and grandchildren Alec, James, Justin (1993-2009), Richard, Megan, Claire, Natasha, Matthew, Jeffrey, Michael, Kai, Jake, Jack, and Ben. Mary will be remembered for her tireless devotion to family and her dedication to community throughout her professional career and extensive volunteer work. A celebration of Mary's life was held at St Paul's Church, Almonte on Saturday Sept. 21, 2013. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting that memorial donations be made to the Almonte General Hospital, for which Mary served as chairman for many years."

Michael Huband, BCS'57 passed away peacefully on Aug. 21 at the age of 73. Although taken too early he lived a full life. He will be missed by his deeply loved wife, Ann Bennett, his children Paul, Louisa (Craig Moffat) and Kate

(Todd Barr), his grandchildren Gabriel, Harry, Bella and Lilly, his sister Anne Brunstrom (Terry) his brother Tim Blaiklock (predeceased by Sally), and his many beloved in-laws Paul and Marilyn Bennett, Sue and Michael Brown, John and Diana Bennett, Barbara and Danny Heffernan, Kristin Bennett, Hilary Bennett and Linda Brunette. He had a long and satisfying career at the Bank of Montreal. Upon retirement eight years ago, he dedicated much time to charitable works close to his heart, most notably the Montreal General Hospital Foundation, the Queen Elizabeth Health Complex, and the Atlantic Salmon Federation. "Dad/Michael/The Rat" adored by many for his warm and unassuming way, his subtle sense of humour and his quiet devotion to those he loved. In the stormy sea of life, he was a solid anchor - always ready for a game of backgammon, a good joke, or a glass of single malt on the porch. His passions were George Bernard Shaw, salmon rivers, steep ski hills, the Maine coast, photographing his grandchildren, golf anywhere with his buddies, the Montreal Racket Club, and spending time with friends and family. The family will hold a memorial at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Montreal General Hospital Foundation (mgh. foundation@muhc.mcgill.ca).

Published in the Montreal Gazette on Aug. 27. A guest book is available on Legacy.com.

David Anthony Stuart Atkinson, BCS'40 passed away on Thursday, Oct. 4, 2012 at the age of 90 in Woodstock, NY, with his loving wife Carol at his side.

Known worldwide by his chosen stage name as David Atkinson, he was a retired Canadian baritone and actor. Born in Montreal on Oct. 20, 1921, he was the son of the late William and Edith M. (Burke) Atkinson, and grew up in Saint-Romuald, Que.

He studied at BCS and served in the Royal Canadian Air Force during WWII in the South Pacific. After the war, he studied music at McGill University in 1946 and the Juilliard



Mary Rosamond Hugessen



Michael Huband

School in New York. He then began his career as a musical theatre performer in 1948. He continued to study privately with Harry Jompulsky in NYC. Most of his career was spent performing in musicals and operettas in NYC from the late 1940s throughout the early 1970s. He also appeared in some operas and made a few television appearances.

While studying at Juilliard, David made his professional opera debut using the name "David Burke" with the Opera Guild of Montreal (OGM) in 1948 as Monterone in Giuseppe Verdi's "Rigoletto." In 1952, David created the role of Sam in the world premiere of Leonard Bernstein's "Trouble in Tahiti." From 1956-1962, he was the leading performer at the New York City Opera where he starred in several musicals and appeared in the world premieres of several English language operas.

His greatest success on the stage came late in his career: the role of Cervantes in "Man Of La Mancha," who he portrayed in the original Broadway production (replacing Richard Kiley), as well as in the 1968 tour, the 1972 Broadway revival, and for the Coachlight Dinner Theatre in Nanuet, NY in 1980.

He also starred in several other Broadway productions including "The Girl in Pink Tights" (1954), "The Vamp" (1955), and "Brigadoon" (1957). He notably sang "The Impossible Dream" live at the 22nd Tony Awards.

Following his retirement from Broadway, David moved to Woodstock in Upstate NY with his wife, Carol (Zane) Atkinson, who survives.

He is also survived by his caretakers, nephew Jim Young and wife Linda of Westlake, Calif., and numerous nephews and nieces. He is also survived by sisters-in-law, Una May Young and Letitia Pang of Honolulu, Hawaii.

Inurnment at Diamond Head Memorial Park, Honolulu, Hawaii will be held at a later date.

**Dr. Donald Dodds, BCS'40** passed away in December 2011 in Toronto, Ont. He was brother to Roma Henderson, KHC'38, Jean Kazi, KHC'45 and the late Stanley Dodd BCS'43.

Arthur C. Bishop, BCS'41 - Fighter Pilot and War Historian passed away at his home in Toronto on Feb. 14, 2013 at the age of 89.

William Arthur Christian Avery Bishop was the son of William (Billy) Bishop and Margaret Eaton Burden. Arthur's godfather was Prince Arthur, Duke of Connaught; his godmother was Princess Louise, cousin to Queen Mary.

On Sept. 8, 1941, Arthur joined the Royal Canadian Air Force, but would not make his first solo flight until 1942. On July 30, 1942, Arthur received his wings from his father: Mr. Bishop was posted to the 401 Squadron as a Spitfire pilot. To him, the Spitfire was the perfect flying machine.

After the war, Arthur became engaged to Prisilla Aylen and they were married on Nov. 3, 1946. They had two children. Diana and William. He started his professional life as reporter for the Windsor Star and discovered that not only did he enjoy writing but he that wanted to tell the stories of war veterans. He began to collect individual stories of heroism, which later became a book, Unsung Courage. In 1946, he became an advertising executive at the Ronalds Advertising Agency in Montreal but left to form his own public relations firm, PPS Publicity, in partnership with his wife.

Arthur also wrote a biography of Billy Bishop and *Courage of the Early Morning* appeared in 1965. It was a bestseller and the source for the evergreen play Billy Bishop Goes to War. Arthur wrote many more books on Canada's military heroes.

Excerpt from The Globe and Mail

Stanley Dodds, BCS'43 Bridgetown, N.S., died peacefully at age 86, on Oct. 25, 2011, in Annapolis Royal, surrounded by family and friends after a courageous battle with cancer. Born on May 8, 1925, in Winnipeg, Man., he grew up in Montreal and attended Bishop's College School. In 1943, he joined the Canadian Navy and received a commission as Sublieutenant. After the war he earned an Industrial Design degree from Syracuse University and worked for

the National Art Gallery in Ottawa, Defense Research Medical Laboratories in Downsview, Ont. and Bell Laboratories in Whippany, NJ and Andover, Mass.

Shortly after his retirement Stanley moved to the Annapolis Valley, N.S. - eventually buying a farm in "beautiful downtown Beaconsfield" - just outside of Bridgetown, where he established the "Porcupine Rock Nursery." He is survived by his children, Thomas (Margaret), Richard (Jill) and Susan (Andrew) and his grandchildren, Jean, Jackson, Nicholas, Zachary and Raymond. Stanley will be fondly remembered



Arthur C. Bishop

by his family and friends for his kind, friendly, out-going nature, his passion for growing rhododendrons, azaleas and magnolias and his love of life and people.

### Douglas Dickie Foss, BCS'45

Douglas passed away peacefully at his home on May 24, 2013 with his family and his beloved cat, Cinders, by his side. He is survived by his wife, Lynn, his three children, Greg, Rodney, and Heidi, as well as his five grandchildren.

Like his father, Doug loved to fly small aircraft and could often be found with his friends at Cooper Aviation. He was also an accomplished sailor who won the 1950 Ishkoodah Cup in his boat, Tarpon. When not flying or sailing, Doug enjoyed tinkering at his work bench – he could fix anything. He also cared deeply for animals. Together with Lynn, they provided a loving home for countless animals throughout the years.

Ann Van Alstyne (nee Smith), KHC'50, passed away at home with her family on Saturday, July 6, 2013. Beloved wife of the late William B. Van Alstyne III. Devoted mother of Katherine Bennett (Brian) of Kings-

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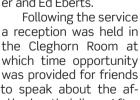
ton. Timothy (Carolyn Cullen) of Toronto, and Elizabeth Valentine (Guy) of Ottawa. Loving grandmother of Erin, Derek, and Gillian Bennett, Sarah, Grace, and William Van Alstyne, and Christopher and Timothy Valentine. Daughter of the late Robert Guy Carington Smith, BCS'25 and the late Constance Isobel Price. sister of Pamela McCarter, and Pennie Younger. A funeral service was held at St. John's Anglican Church, (Portsmouth) on Friday, July 6, 2013.

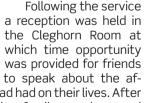
### John S. Pratt, BCS'58

On Saturday, April 27, 2013, family and friends of John Stuart Pratt gathered in St Mark's Chapel, Bishop's University, to celebrate the life of a grandfather, father, colleague, and friend.

University Chaplain, the Rev. Heather Thomson led a filled chapel in opening prayers that were followed by a brief Canadian Legion ceremony led by Rev. Barb Wintle and Susan Fletcher which recognized John's service since 1998 to

Legion Branch #128 in Ayer's Cliff. Readings delivered by grand-daughters Elizabeth Peters and Eliza Peters were interspersed with John's favourite hymns: "Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee," "The Lord's My Shepherd," "Eternal Father Strong to Save," and "Abide With Me"; soloist Sarah Heath sang In the Garden, and eulogies were delivered by son, Robert Pratt, and friends John Cowans, Giles Walker and Ed Eberts.





fect John had had on their lives. After the reception family members and a few friends travelled to the small cemetery in Massawippi, beside the house where John lived for many years, for the interment of his ashes. John attended BCS from 1948 to 1954 when he graduated with a McGill University matriculation.

While at BCS, he was a Prefect,

in his senior year. Head of Choir. member of the Players Club, and MVP in football: he was awarded a BCS Tankard for his contribution to school life, and he won the Smith Cup and Fortune Medal for Senior all Round Athletics. From 1954-1958, John attended Bishop's University when he was awarded a BA in English and History. He was Best All Round Athlete in 1955, and MVP in football in 1957. Throughout his university career he earned nine letters in football, hockey, target shooting, and skiing. In 1956, he was the provincial slalom champion. He was awarded a Golden Mitre for his contribution to university life.

John continued his post-secondary studies at Denver University (MA), and Columbia University (MEd). He began his teaching career at BCS in 1959 where he taught English, was an Assistant-Housemaster, Choirmaster, and Coach of football, skiing, and track and field. He was also a Cadet Instructor and Bandmaster as a Lieutenant in the Cadet Services of Canada. In 1967, John moved to Trinity College School in Port Hope, Ont. where he taught English, was Housemaster, folk mass Choirmaster, and Coach in Football and Skiing.

In 1971, John became founding Headmaster of the Country Day School in King Township, Ont. where he stayed until 1976. Following his career in education, John worked for many years as an educational consultant in chemical dependency. He was a member of the Boards of Foster Pavilion Foundation, The Phoenix Foundation, Le Centre Jean Patrice Chaisson, the Eastern Townships Regional Health and Social Service Board, and numerous others. He was the organizer of First Caribou Conference for all aboriginal peoples of Northern Quebec and Labrador. Since 2006. John worked tirelessly on behalf of victims of sexual abuse at BCS through the Truth and Reconciliation Association.

Throughout his life, John demonstrated by his actions his optimistic belief that we must care for others; that the rules we learn as children about self-discipline and service can be reflected in the rules by which we live our adult lives. His daughter Julia Pratt Peters reports that as his family left him for the last time in St. Marv's Hospital in Montreal, with a big smile, he shouted, "It was a good run." And it was.

Submitted by John Cowans (BCS'54)

### Frederick Burbidge, O.C., member of the BCS Association Board from 1967 to 1974

The family of Frederick Burbidge announced the passing of Frederick in his 95th year at Knowlton House, Knowlton, Que. on Friday, May 3,

Fred was a member of the BCS Association Board from 1967 to 1974 and the Executive Committee from 1967 to 1969. Fred held a number of positions at Canadian Pacific Limited and in 1981, he became Chairman and Chief Executive Officer until his retirement in 1986.

He was very active in community initiatives, serving on the South Shore Protestant School board and as a volunteer at the Montreal Neurological Institute, as the Chairman of the hospital board for eight years and on the advisory board for many years. His wife, Cynthia died in Knowlton House on Feb. 22, 2013.

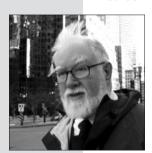
He is survived by his two sons, John, BCS'66 and George, BCS'69, six grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren.

A memorial service was held at the Grace Church, Sutton, Que. on Saturday, May 11, 2013. Frederick and Cynthia were buried in Beechwood Cemetery in Ottawa.

### The Reverend Cheryl Patricia Stroud, passed away in the palliative care unit of Hotel Dieu Hospital, Sherbrooke on Friday, June 21, 2013. She is survived by her husband, David Dutton (Science teacher for 30+ years and boys Houseparent for many years) and her sons Bruce, BCS'94 and Philip Dutton.

Born to the late Harold Stroud and Hilda (née Saunders) Stroud in Hamilton, Ont. on June 1, 1947, Cheryl is also survived by her mother, Hilda; her sister, Melanie Stroud; and brothers Douglas (Brenda) and Michael Stroud and their families.

Since her arrival in Lennoxville in 1972, Cheryl, a talented pianist, singer, conductor and organist, has played a prominent role in the local musical community.



John S. Pratt



Cheryl Patricia Stroud

She was the founder of the music program at Champlain Regional College, and a member of the Bishop's University Music Department.

In her last few years Cheryl was called to the

priesthood and was ordained a Deacon in the Anglican Church on May 1 of this year. Her funeral was held on Saturday, July 13 in St Martin's Chapel at BCS, followed by interment in Malvern Cemetery.

### Tribute to Philippe Boivin

M. Philippe Boivin, BCS'81 passed away this summer at the age of 51 in La Baie, Que. He was passionate about his family, his cycling and his work. He leaves to mourn his wife, Monique Champoux and daughters, Florence and Charlotte.

### For Boiz by Bill Cunningham

On July 4, 2013, our friend Philippe Boivin passed away. Philippe was a Smith Houser, living in Ogre's Zoo, where he fit right in with that cast of characters. At school "Boiz" was an athlete without peer; in 7th form carrying the Zoo to the field championship single-handedly. From Lennoxville, it was off to Western to earn his degree and learn new and interesting ways to make a buck.

Philippe went on to a career first with Richardson Greenshields in Montreal and Quebec City before setting up shop with Designdins in Chicoutimi where he built his office and team from the ground up to be one of the top-producing offices in Quebec. At home, Phil married the lovely Monique and together they raised Florence and Charlotte, incredible daughters who made their father proud every day of his life. Truth be told, Boiz may have been happiest on his beloved vélo, cycling the hills and valleys of his beloved Saguenay for miles and miles at a time, either for the sheer joy of being out on the road or more often than not, training for the next event - including riding side by side with his friend and training partner Pierre Lavoie in the annual Défi Pierre Lavoie.

Philippe died too soon, with more miles in his legs and more hills to climb. He had so much more to do, to see and to discover. He



gave his all in everything he took on and attacked each day with optimism, purpose and a ready smile. His death comes much too soon and our days are clouded with sorrow and despair at the loss of our friend. But in the end, we are left with an overwhelming sense of gratitude for having had such a friend for as long we did.

We are grateful to Philippe's parents, Gilles and Michelle, because at a time when politics and education were a difficult mix, they took a chance and sent their only son to school far from home. In doing so, they changed both his life and ours forever.

We are grateful to Monique, his wife of 24 years, for loving Philippe in a way that all of us hope to be loved and being the perfect life partner to him.

We are grateful to Florence and Charlotte, who in teaching their beloved Papou how to be a better dad, made all of us better fathers in the lessons we learned from him.

We are grateful for the time that we had with Boiz and for all of the cherished memories we carry with us. We will get together again this November as we always do and Boiz will not be there, yet he will be. We loved him then as we love him now and we will never forget our friend.

We are the BCS Covenant, 12 members of the classes of '80 and '81 who met at BCS where an unbreakable bond of friendship was formed. We meet every year, coming from all over the world to renew our friendship and celebrate what has come before and look towards the future together. We have endowed the Class of '81 Covenant Scholarship as part of our gratitude to the institution that brought us together and the hope that lifelong friendships continue to be made at BCS.

### Send us your news! We'd love to hear what you're up to: alumni@bishopscollegeschool.com

### 1940s Shirley Westcott, KHC'45

Shirley writes: "My husband Dick and I are at the stage where all children are married and spread around the country. Our oldest son, Rick, died in 2008, leaving a wife and two girls. The girls are both married – no great-grandchildren yet but are expecting one soon!



Diana, our next child and her husband, David, gave us a boy and a girl. Wes was married this summer and his sister, Jensen, will be getting married next summer. Our third child, Marge, is happily married and living in Brooklyn, NY.

Our youngest, Jim, with his wife, Sue, and daughter, Calla, live on Vachon Island just off shore from Seattle, WA.

Both Dick and I are waiting, not too patiently, for a few great grand-children. We are very proud of our family, for among them they all have a total of 25 college degrees and they all have good jobs, with the exception of 14-year-old Calla."

### Victor R. Bennett, BCS'47

Victor Bennett was inducted into Canada's Aviation Hall of Fame at its 40<sup>th</sup> annual induction ceremony that took place on May 30, 2013. Vic began his work in aviation by refuelling aircraft at Gander when he was 14, and took his first flying lessons as a teenager in a Piper Cub. In 1950, he enlisted as an RCAF air-

crew trainee Flight Cadet and earned both private pilot's and commercial licenses. From 1956 until 1967, he served as Secretary, General Manager, and Vice-President of Timmons Aviation Ltd. in Montreal. In 1967, Timmons Aviation was bought out by Atlantic Aviation and Vic served as its President for the next seven years. In 1974, Vic bought the company with investment assistance and renamed it Innotech Aviation of Canada. He served as President and Chairman until 1990 when the company was sold to IMP Aerospace.

Vic has been recognized with a Life Membership from the Canadian Business Aircraft Association and in 2005 he received the C.D. Howe Award, presented by the Canadian Aeronautics and Space Institute. Congratulations to Vic!

### 1960s Robert D. MacDonald, BCS'62

Robert announces the Feb. 1. 2013 release of Seeing the Psalter, a new poetic translation of the Psalms parallel with the Hebrew text, along with notes and vocabulary studies. Engineer, mathematician, and poet Bob MacDonald has spent years studying the Psalms and cataloguing vocabulary and usage. In making this translation, he has taken advantage of his own skills with poetry and music in finding the best vocabulary and rhythm, while using his knowledge of mathematics and statistics to study the relationship between the various poems that are part of the book of Psalms.

In Bob's words: "It is a set of poems well worth studying in English or Hebrew – or Latin or Greek, even medieval English – as did the ancients. The book really helps bring the reader into a complex of poetry that is an intriguing land."

### James Kirkpatrick Stewart, BCS'64

On Nov. 16, 2012, James was elected by the Assembly of States Parties to the Statute of the International Criminal Court in the Hague to be the new Deputy Prosecutor, effective March 8, 2013. Previously, James worked in Arusha, Tanzania,

with the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda; with the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia, and with the Ontario Ministry of Justice. His appointment is for nine years. James and his wife Charity have two children, Kieran (11) and Wangechi (9), and James has an older son Andrew (27). Congratulations James!

### Paul Hitschfeld, BCS'65

Paul is now into his "second career" as a lecturer at Carleton University in Ottawa, after a first career with the federal government. Paul would like to be in touch with classmates from the '63 to '65 period. Email: paulfeld@sympatico.ca

### 1970s

### Stephen Simkovits, BCS'71

Stephen graduated this summer from Saint Michael's College, in Colchester, VT as a TESOL (Teaching English to Students of Other Languages) teacher. He will be winding down his motorcycle distribution business this year and plans to teach in China through Brigham Young University's China Teacher's Program for August 2014. He would like to communicate with any alumni who teach, or who have taught English as a Second Language. Email: stephen@nationalmotorsports.ca

### Clive Law, BCS'73

Clive writes: "For the past three years I have been Director of Compliance and Response for the Transport of Dangerous Goods, at Transport Canada. I am in the midst of the Lac-Mégantic tragedy as I write this, where I have a team of responders and investigators working 16-hour days. I had the privilege of presenting the Hugh Ross Cleveland Medal at the 2012 Cadet parade – 40 years to the day of having received it myself. Thank you to BCS for making this possible."

# Jainie Murray, KHC'71-72, BCS'72-73.

Jainie writes from Costa Rica: "Married Franz Muller in 2009. Had a restaurant for 18 years and now I am managing a mountain B&B in Orosi, Cartago, called Ambrosia en la Mon-

taña for the past 7 years. Web site: www.ambrosiaenlamontana.com.

I would love to hear from classmates or teachers and all welcome to come and visit."

E-mail: ambrosiacr@gmail.com

### G. Richard Garneau, BCS'77

Richard writes: "My life has been eventful to say the least. I went to hotel school at UNH and graduated in 1981, started in hotel operations



and made a transition hotel applications in the early 90s as the first employee Fidelio with software from Munich. They were bought by the largest restaurant POS company called

Micros and now Fidelio (software is called Opera) is the most widely used hotel application in the world. I left the company when they moved to the Micros corporate office. Since college (graduated in 1981) I have lived in – ready for this? – Philadelphia, St. Martin (French West Indies), Boston, Burlington, VT, Dallas, Houston, Atlanta, Tulsa, and back to Atlanta (where I live now).

In 2000 when I lived in Dallas, I was a HUGE Harley Davidson enthusiast and on May 14, 2000 (Mother's Day), an old man cut me off and I thoned his car, flew over it and landed on my head. An absolutely horrible transition in my life, as you can imagine. I smashed my head in and was in a coma for six weeks after which I was in full-time rehab for a year to get back to where I am today.

Since then, I have been struggling with my career and worked for different hotel software companies in various capacities, none of which was a good match. I have been out of work for a long, long time (thanks Obama!).

I am writing this from Aruba where I am working as a contractor learning to install Fidelio again in the Caribbean (sometimes life is a big circle, isn't it?). I am so incredibly thankful that I have regained all my mental faculties and am pretty much as I was before."

### Jono Howson, BCS'77



Jono writes: "My son, William, who just turned 12, was competing at the Mt Ruapehu Interfield, Turoa. It's the beginning of the ski season here. Mt Ruapehu is a huge live volcano on the North Island of New Zealand."

# Caroline Spackman (nee Noyes-Roberts), BCS'78

Caroline writes: "I am busy project-managing a house build whilst preparing for the wedding of our second daughter, Megan, next June. Meanwhile our eldest daughter, Libby, is now a Quality Assurance Manager for Thanet Earth, our third daughter, Iona, has just been accepted into the London College of Fashion and our son, Finn (who is now 17) is studying engineering! After completing our house build, I am toying with the idea of returning to university to take up a PhD, after completing a masters in Interior Architecture at the University of Brighton in 2002. Since then I have been kept busy after training to become a Feng Shui consultant and a Reiki Master. I send my love to anyone from my year that may remember me after all this time and extend a welcome to visit us if you are ever in this part of the world!" Caroline lives in West Sussex, UK.

### Andrew Lyon, BCS'79

Andy writes: "I am a clinical biochemist in the Saskatoon Health Region and clinical associate professor, Faculty of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan. I have not been in touch with the BCS community much since my mother was working there, so this news-post might be a surprise to some people. I have kept

in touch with two '79 classmates, Michael Austin and Colin McGregor.

I am pleased to mention that our research team just published a series of papers on preterm birth. The papers are 'open-access' and can be read online in the journal *BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth*. My interview with the editor was posted online: http://bit.ly/prehotblog

PreHOT is an interdisciplinary research team and there are a wide variety of studies conducted by the team involving the epidemiology of preterm birth in ~3000 pregnant women, nursing studies of the experiences of parents of preterm infants, testing the benefit to 'premies' of enabling parents to care for their child in a neonatal intensive care unit, as well as basic science studies of uterine cell responses and development of a model of preterm birth in rats. Something for everyone!"

The supplement of papers from the PreHOT group and website: http://bit.ly/prehotpapers www.prehot.org

### 1980s Daphne Symeonides, BCS'80

In December 2012, Daphne obttained her Doctorate in Education with her thesis entitled "The Emotions of Educational Change: The Voices."

"It's taken me an awfully long time to get there while working full time but finally it is done!" she reports.

Daphne lives in Hong Kong with her husband and is teaching at a local primary school in Discovery Bay, a five minute walk from their flat. "We've been here for ten years now and probably have a couple more in us so anyone passing through should feel free get in touch as we love visitors. If it's too far to drop by for a drink then you can also find us at our Laurentian home every summer."

### Michael Stearns, BCS'81

Michael writes: "Married 24 years to Karen next September. Playing hockey year-round with GMFS alumni. Rocking out with my band the Butchers of Shannon Street regularly. Starting a fly fish-

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# **CLASS NOTES**

ing school with Scott Stevenson (BCS'85), see www.scotchcap.ca. Son Mackenzie off to Samford University in Alabama in September on a tennis scholarship and daughter Katie entering 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Bishop's University."

Busy, busy, busy...

### Hope Brannan, BCS'84

Hope, her sons, William and Michael, and her mother, Rachel Fraser, visited BCS over the March Break for a tour and lunch. Hope wanted to show the boys where she and her husband, Gavin, BCS'82 had attended. During their visit, Hope explained: "In fact, Gavin and I dated periodically during my IV and his VI form years.

He left BCS after that year. We reconnected again about 14 years later when he read in the Bulletin that I had moved to Toronto and had seen another alum. He was able to contact the other alum and get my contact information. We re-met a week after. Gavin called me and it was as if the years disappeared and we have not looked back."

### Andrew MacLachlan, BCS'87

Following seven years of teaching and living in Chiang Mai, Thailand, we are relocating to Como, Lombardy, Italy. I will be the Principal of a small but growing middle school within the International School of Como, located in Fino Mornasco. We are building a new middle school building to compliment the new elementary building which was completed to celebrate the school's 10th anniversary. I can remember being a student at BCS's 150th!

Mary will be teaching International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme (IB PYP) grade 5. Our daughter Maeve will be starting her first year (grade 6) of the IB Middle Years Programme. I will have to teach her AND be her Principal. This is certainly an exciting opportunity.

Pretty much everyone who has contacted me has asked me to say hello to George Clooney. Once I settle, I promise to give him a call and have him over for a BBQ. If you want to visit, ink in a spot. Reservations are starting to roll in.

### Sophie Vydykhan, BCS'88

Sophie and her husband, Nicholas Samson, along with her daughter, Laetibia, and sons, Alexandre and Xavier, stopped by for a tour of the campus in March 2013. Sophie and her family were vacationing in the Townships for spring break. Sophie currently resides in Gatineau, Que.

### 1990s Dana MacKimmie, BCS'90

Dana writes: "It seems like a lifetime ago that I spent 7th Form (1989-90) at BCS - one of the best and most fun years of my life! I try to keep up with the various alumni groups - I love to hear how everyone is doing, and am always on the look out for familiar names and faces. I fell into a career in television 16 years ago, and for the last several years I have been line-producing shows for kids (Apartment 11 Productions Inc.) - challenging AND fun! I was married in 2000, and we have a beautiful 10year old daughter. One of these days I'm going to make it back to BCS to show the campus off to my family...

### Louis Welch, BCS'91



Louis writes: "Things have definitely been busy for the past few decades and lots of updates are needed. After life at Bishop's, I worked in a variety of positions in the food and beverage industry in Victoria, BC where I met my wife, Tasha. We married in 1995 in Quebec City, then we moved to Toronto in 1996 to attend Ryerson University. Four years later with fresh bachelor of commerce degrees, we returned to Victoria to advance our careers and purchase our first home. Thirteen years later, we have three beautiful daughters,

Charlotte, 6, Audrey, 7 and Grace, 9. (see family picture of our European holiday last summer). At this point we are ready to shake things up and are looking for our next big adventure....

### Laura Osborne, BCS'92

Laura writes: "I'm a senior editor at enRoute, Air Canada's awardwinning magazine, living in Montreal with my husband and two boys. Work takes me from Las Vegas to Bermuda to Uganda, but more recently London where I caught up with Christy Barlow ('92) and the Jelowicki girls.

### 2000s Colin Standish, BCS'04



Colin was photographed with Justin Trudeau in Quebec City in April 2013. Colin also visited the BCS campus in early May to meet with students and share his experiences studying law.

### Hyun Seung Kang, BCS'06



Hyun Seung writes: "I graduated from Johns Hopkins University with an International Studies major and an Economics minor in May 2013. I also served in the ROK (Republic of Korea) Special Forces. I am currently located in Korea and plan on being a management consultant here for a while."

### Sarah Bernard, BCS'08

Sarah Bernard has been awarded the BESO (Bourse d'études supérieurs de l'Ontario) and the BF Bursary of Excellence (Faculté des études supérieurs et postdoctorales). We also heard from a very reliable source that Sarah is presently doing her Masters in Occupational Therapy with an overall average A+ at University of Ottawa. Congratulations, Sarah!

### Michael Le Rossignol, BCS'08



Track and field athlete Michael Le Rossignol took up swimming and biking in February after breaking a bone in his leg. By June, he was a full-fledged triathlete, winning the Ottawa River Triathlon with a time of 58:33. He also placed first in his age category and third overall at the Canadian National AG Championships in Toronto. He trains 26-30 hours per week, which breaks down to four bike, four run, and four swim sessions. Michael hopes to turn pro in a few years. He is racing cross-country this fall at Saint-Mary's University, where he is enrolled in the Sobey School of Business.

### Chance Saint-Marché, BCS'08



Chance writes: "I am currently an Investment Banker for Cabrera Capital Markets. I live in Chicago but still maintain a home in Crystal Beach, Ont. Last year I established an award in my name for the top MBA students annually from European Universities in Switzerland, Germany and Spain. The award is focused on innovation and new technology ideas that can help third world countries."

2010s Nic Charlton, BCS'11



BCS Residential Assistant (the new term for BU's) and recent graduate Nic Charlton was the *Sherbrooke Record*'s Athlete of the Week for Nov. 12. As a rugby player at Bishop's University, he scored 18 points in a recent game against Concordia. Nic is a natural leader with a passion for rugby. We look forward to having him coach some of our players this spring. Congrats Nic!

### Leo Jordil, BCS'11



Leo writes: "Since leaving BCS I have traveled a lot. I was in Geneva for two years and then in Brussels for a year. In June, I received my Bach-

elor's degree. I was back in Montreal until the end of May for an internship."

Laura E. Smith, BCS'11



Congratulations to alumna Laura Elaine Smith, who won the 2013 Most Valuable Player Award for the Champlain College Lennoxville Cougars Women's Rugby team. While at BCS, Laura won MVP during her last year playing for the Senior Girls Rugby Team and the King's Hall CupSenior Girls All Round School Athletic Champion (a shared award with Samantha Ewing). Wishing Laura all the best at Concordia this fall!

### Sebastien Bernier, BCS'12

Sebastien writes: "I still love to play hockey! I played for the Mirabel/Blainville Monarques (Junior AA) during the 2012/2013 season. We reached the semi finals in the regionals. This year I will be focused on my 2<sup>nd</sup> year of studies at the John Molson School of Business, Concordia University and will coach the Bantam AA team, a team on which I played for two years). I just want to give back!"

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Please share your news with the BCS community!

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# Honouring A. Scott Fraser, BCS'46

Inducted into the Heneker-Williams Society for his outstanding contributions to BCS



On Nov. 8, 2013, A. Scott Fraser became the 31st member inducted into the Heneker-Williams Society at the University Club of Montreal.

Created by the BCS Association Board of Directors, the Society honours individuals who, by leadership and example, have set the standard for volunteer support of BCS and King's Hall, Compton.

Scotty Fraser has been an outstanding and loyal supporter of BCS all his life. He attended the school for six years, completing his Form VII year at Christmas with the Class of '46. Scotty lived in Chapman House and School House, serving as a Head Boy in both his Form VI and Form VII years. Scotty is also a former par-

ent, having sent his son Robert and daughter Hope to the school.

Following his graduation, Scotty attended McGill University, graduating with a Bachelor of Commerce degree in 1950. He entered the investment business in Montreal and, over the ensuing decades, became a preeminent institutional investment manager in Canada.

Scotty has used this expertise to benefit our school. His volunteer efforts for BCS include serving on the Foundation Board of Directors, creating and steering the Foundation's Investment Committee, funding the swim team and a major scholarship, leading the initiative to build new BCS squash courts, and contributing

the first leadership gift to the 2013 campaign for residence renovations.

When BCS needs help, Scotty steps up without fanfare. In fact, he has been steadfast in his determination to keep his own name out of it: the scholarship is in former Headmaster David Cruickshank's name and the squash courts are named after the BCS Foundation.

BCS has been a constant in Scotty Fraser's heart throughout his life. He has been a student, a parent, an outstanding volunteer to his old school, and an exceptional donor. His service to BCS has been involved, informed, intelligent, selfless and above all, generous.

He is an example to us all.



- From left, longtime friends François de Sainte-Marie, BCS'65, and A. Scott Fraser, BCS'46.
- 2 Lewis Evans, BCS'65, former Headmaster (2003-2009), served as emcee.
- 3 Scotty's son, Robert Fraser, BCS'85, helped roast his father.
- **4** Tim Price, BCS'75, the new Chair of the BCS Association Board, presents Scotty with a commemorative plaque.
- From left, Hope Brannan (Fraser), BCS'84, Jean Cruikshank, KHC'55, former Headmaster David Cruikshank (1975-1990), and Theodora Brinckman, BCS'84.

# Coast to coast reunions

### Our Advancement and Alumni Services team is hosting and planning events near you!

With new staff and renewed energy, the Advancement and Alumni Services team is brimming with ideas. We have spent the fall hosting a series of events to help alumni reconnect with each other. We are adding more events for 2014, so if we haven't been to your city yet, get ready, we're coming.

We look forward to your feedback and suggestions so we can plan events that will bring people together. We are also seeking Alumni Ambassadors in cities around the world to help us. For more information, please get in touch with us: alumni@bishopscollegeschool.com.

-Greg Stevenson, Jackie Duguay and Susan Cook

### **EVENT RECAPS**

### Moncton Tapas Night at Sirocco | Oct. 10, 2013 Moncton, N.B.

Attending our first Moncton event in recent history, alumni came out for Tapas Night at Sirocco Mediterranean Fusion Restaurant.

### Dartmouth Pub night at the Celtic Corner Pub | Oct. 11, 2013 Dartmouth, N.S.

Dartmouth was another first: alumni from BCS and KHC came out to enjoy a pint with friends old and new - cheers!

### Vancouver Reception | Oct. 16, 2013 Vancouver, B.C.

Alumni from every decade since the 1940's, from both BCS and KHC, as well as from every residence on campus were represented at the Vancouver Club - it was great to see.

### Class of '73, '74 & '75 Reunion | Nov. 1-2, 2013 Lennoxville and North Hatley, Que.

Alumni came back to BCS to celebrate their 40th reunion. Festivities included a tour and lunch at BCS, followed by cocktails, stories, and many laughs over dinner at Hovey Manor.

### Ladies' Breakfast at Waddington's | Nov. 25, 2013 Toronto, Ont.

BCS-KHC alumnae enjoyed croissants, Krieghoffs, juice, and jewels at Canada's oldest auction house, Waddington's. A special thanks to Linda Rodeck and Waddington's for hosting this wonderful event.

### Evening Reception in Barberian's wine cellar | Nov. 25, 2013 Toronto, Ont.

Close to 80 alumni and friends came out for drinks and appetizers in the rich and woody atmosphere of Barberian's wine cellar. A sincere thanks to Barberian's Steak House for hosting and sponsoring this magnificent event.

Wait, there's more! More photos are available online: www.bishopscollegeschool.com/alumni



# 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Alumni and Friends Golf Tournament

Raising funds for BCS Athletics under sunny skies at the Royal Bromont Golf Course





Sixty-eight golfers came out on Sept. 22 for the tournament, sponsored by 3Macs and others. Over \$10,000 was raised for BCS Athletics program. Thank you for your support!

- 1 Prefects and athletes Mathieu Dubois'14, Victoria Leblond'14 and Gabriel Aucoin'14 came out to play and spoke about how much sports have changed their lives.
- 2 The weather was ideal a warm day with sunshine.
- Student athlete Rebecca Leblond '16 participates in the putting competition.
- Guthrie Stewart'73 accepts his prize for low score male from Director of Athletics Jeff Bray.
- The Desigrdins foursome in high spirits. From left, Sylvie Jubinville (hidden), Nicole Sirois, Gaétan Rouleau and Pierre Jones.
- David Brodeur, BCS'86, Kurt Johnson, BCS'84, and Pete Smith, BCS'72, from the BCS Association Board of Directors, enjoy a drink on the terrasse.



Winning Team Jeff Bray Grant Simeon Mathieu Dubois Riccardo Turrin

Low score male **Guthrie Steward** 

Low score female Nancy Layton

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# KHC'63 Reunion: We've Been to a Marvellous Party

**KHC Class of '63** celebrated their **50**<sup>th</sup> **Reunion** May 30 to June 2 at Pat Tuff's house in Jamestown, Rhode Island. Here is a poem about their weekend.

By Kathy MacCulloch

With apologies to everyone, especially Noel Coward

We've been to a *marvellous* party - to celebrate 50 years on.

Pat Tuff was the hostess – the totally *mostest*And spoiled us *all* to the core!

Just when you thought things couldn't get better

She rang up the charter boat, florist and caterer

And we couldn't have liked it more!

We've been to a marvellous party
The accommodations were quite, quite divine!
With Sea Glass & Spy Glass & en suites & sea views
Yes, even the bunkrooms had bawths!
Outfitted with loot bags, roommates, and ear plugs
I must say the fun was intense
And we couldn't have enjoyed it more!

We've been to a *marvellous* party
And girls came from near and afar.
Anne won the star ... she came from Qatar!
With Di and Di, Susan and Susan,
Mary, Janet, Lindy, and Pam,
Dodi and Margot, Esther, and Jen,
Martha and Gibbie, Callie, and Lal
Nickie, Kathy, and that literate Emily.
Frances Budden had the best accessory;
She brought along the cool Dr. Jeffrey
And we couldn't have enjoyed it more!

We've been to a marvellous party!
Memories and laughter abound.
Remember when Miss Elliott asked Emily
To expand her essay vocabulary?
Out came her thesaurus and in no time at all,
Roadside "piles" of snow were "haemorrhoids" of snow!
And, we couldn't have liked it more!

We've been to a *marvellous* party
And no one had changed at all!
We're models of growing old gracefully,
Fine products of Gilly's King's Hall.
Our dear Head Girl Janet wore tunic and tie;
We laughed so hard there was not a dry eye.
She directed the chorus of Forty Years On
And then a new verse for Fifty Years Gone.
Follow up! Follow up! Follow up! we cried
And we couldn't have liked it more!



Back Row: D. Bignell, D. Hornig, L. Wright, D. Russell, F. Budden, K. Mac-Culloch, P. Fletcher, C. Gibson, N. Druce, S White, C. Archer, E. Black Front Row: S. Marpole, M. Cassils, A. Evans, M. Cape, P. Balloch. L. Peck, M. Cowen, E. Franklin, J. Eardley, J. Burgoyne. Livvy & Bella in the foreground.



# Happy 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday, Mr. Eberts!

Edmond Eberts, BCS'56, visited campus on April 27, which happened to be his 75<sup>th</sup> birthday. We had some advanced warning so we planned a little surprise with the Prefects (above): cake! He had two pieces and said he wished he could have stuffed a couple more in his pocket. During his time at BCS, Mr. Eberts was Head Prefect and Commanding Officer of the Cadets. Prefect Joey Chan said his words about BCS inspired her. "His stories made me realize that I should cherish every moment here before I graduate," she said.

# 60<sup>th</sup> Reunion for KHC'53

Joan Allday writes:

"For the last three years, since our last reunion in Ottawa, we have been looking forward to meeting up in Newfoundland and Joan Parker (who worked so hard to get us together 20 years ago) made all the arrangements for us to see something of the beautiful province. We came from B.C., Que., Ont., the U.S. and England. We were nine 'girls' and four hubbies (allowed to come due to good behaviour!). Two other couples could not come at the last minute due to pending operations. When some of us met at Toronto Airport we learned that Joan would not be able to join us as she was in hospital. The two who knew had been sworn to secrecy as Joan had made all the plans and wanted us to come. Well, we had a wonderful time and were able to go to see Joan two or three at a time. You will be pleased to know that she is back at home now.

On the first day we had a half day tour of St. John's and after returning to the hotel to freshen up the coach collected us again and took us to Joan's house where we were greeted



From left, Heather Faith (KHC'54), Nancy Price, Janet Bruce, Fiona McKim, Mary Frances Green, Mary Ann Colman, Valerie Licht, Dorothy Findlay, Joan Allday from the KHC class of 1953.

by her two delightful sons who were the perfect hosts. Joan had books of photos of previous reunions, flowers in the school colours, a photo frame that showed pictures of us through the years and the most fantastic meal that you could ever wish for. We were seated at two long tables and had lots to talk about. We toasted absent friends. The following day we had a trip to Cupids and Brigus and in the evening we went to a dinner and show at the Spirit of Newfoundland Dinner Theatre. On Sunday we had a tour to Cape Spear,

the best and freshest cod and chips that we had ever tasted at Petty Harbour, and then visits to the Geo Centre and The Rooms Art Gallery and Museum. We had an interesting taste of Newfoundland and were so grateful to Joan for arranging the expert guide and wonderful tours. On Sunday night we had a 'girls only' evening sending the men to another restaurant.

Monday arrived all to quickly and it was time to be on our way home promising to get together in two or three years' time."



Back row: S. Moctezuma'99, W. Mitchell, S. Broadhurst, G. Ruiz Herrera'10, L. SimonTamborrel'08, F. Barrios Alverez'10, G. Cortina'12, K. Nadeau (coach)

Front row: E. Meza'01, C. Ruquelme'86, P. Simon Tamborrel'11, F. Mereno'09, C. Moreno Flores'05, F. Tamar'09, A. Simon Tamborrel'12

# Victory over Stanstead in Alumni Soccer Match

# 4-1 for BCS in Mexico City

On Saturday, Feb. 9, 2013, BCS Mexican Alumni and Stanstead College Mexican Alumni met at The American School for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Soccer Match. BCS had an amazing group of players, coached by Kirby Nadeau, who outplayed and outscored Stanstead College's Mexican Alumni. A number of parents, wives, and girlfriends cheered the BCS Alumni squad on to a 4-1 victory.

Huge thanks to our organizers of the event – Santiago Moctezuma, Carlos Moreno Flores, and Jose Zazueta'97. After the game, members of both teams gathered at Cancino for pizza, refreshments and lively conversations. Thanks to A. de Vilches'96 for organizing the venue for our reception.

# **Legends Triumph**

# **Alumni Hockey Weekend at BCS**

Five teams, the Abenakis, Bear's Boys, Grand Master Funk Sheriffs, Mushmen, and The Legends, gathered for the Annual Alumni Hockey Weekend held on Friday, March 1 and Saturday, March 2, 2013. The Legends won the coveted Molson Cup; defeating the Abenakis in the tournament final (see photo on the right).

Following the championship game, a reception was held in Hartland Molson Hall where the participants of the tournament viewed some analysis of Saturday's hockey games. Stephan Lebeau thanked Friends of BCS Hockey (accrued funds from past tournaments) and other donors to the hockey program for enabling the School to purchase video analysis software, STEVA Hockey. STEVA Hockey allows coaches the ability to review game and practice video to identify the team's strengths and weaknesses as well as identify individual strengths and weaknesses. Stephan also provided alumni with a brief overview of the hockey program and its success to date. The software is also being used by the Senior Girls Rugby program and is making a difference there as well.

Special thanks to Neil Cunningham, BCS'77 for organizing the tournament; to Jeff Bray for organizing ice



Tournament winners! Back row, from left: Tyler Langevin, David Stenason, Fred Duquette, Jeremie Langelier, Patrick Bzdyl, Henrik Tremblay. Front row: Mickael Waite, Sebastien Bernier, Charles-Cedric Sedillot-Le Francois, Jordan Lefebvre.

time and the referees, assigning 1st Team players and staff to help complete rosters, and for keeping the tournament running smoothly; and to Judy Gillam and Dining Hall Staff for ensuring that food, water, and Gatorade were in plentiful supply.

# ARCHIVAL CORNER

These war medals were recently donated to the BCS Archives by Patrick MacGillycuddy Stoker, BCS '38. His brother, Pilot Officer Tom Thornley Braithwaite Stoker, RCAF (BCS'39), killed in active service in March 1942, was awarded the 1939-45 Star, the Atlantic Star, the Defense of Britain Medal, the Canadian Volunteer Service Medal and the War Medal (shown on top right).

His step-brother, Flight Lieutenant Guy Drummond, BCS'32, one of the few R.C.A.F. personnel doing duty in Africa, was awarded the Africa Star, the Canadian Volunteer Service Medal, and the War Medal 1939-45 (shown on the bottom right).

To honour their sacrifices, their medals will be permanently displayed in St. Martin's Chapel.



Tom Thornley Braithwaite Stoker

Do you have any BCS artifacts from years past that you would like to donate to our Archives for preservation and safekeeping?

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DEC. 18, 2013 LENNOXVILLE Carol Service at BCS - 11 a.m.

FEB. 8, 2014 MEXICO CITY BCS vs Stanstead Soccer Game in Mexico

FEB. 21-22, 2014 LENNOXVILLE Alumni Hockey Tournament\*

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